



# FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2003

Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$) 240

Complete (if known)  
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## FEE CALCULATION

### 1. BASIC FILING FEE

| Large Entity |          | Small Entity |          | Fee Description        | Fee Paid |
|--------------|----------|--------------|----------|------------------------|----------|
| Fee Code     | Fee (\$) | Fee Code     | Fee (\$) |                        |          |
| 1001         | 750      | 2001         | 375      | Utility filing fee     |          |
| 1002         | 320      | 2002         | 165      | Design filing fee      |          |
| 1003         | 530      | 2003         | 260      | Plant filing fee       |          |
| 1004         | 750      | 2004         | 375      | Reissue filing fee     |          |
| 1005         | 160      | 2005         | 80       | Provisional filing fee |          |

SUBTOTAL (1) (\$) 0

### 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims -- = 0 Extra Claims X Fee from below = 0  
Independent Claims -- = 0 X = 0  
Multiple Dependent X = 0

| Large Entity |          | Small Entity |          | Fee Description  |
|--------------|----------|--------------|----------|--|
| Fee Code     | Fee (\$) | Fee Code     | Fee (\$) |  |
| 1202         | 18       | 2202         | 9        | Claims in excess of 20                                     |
| 1201         | 84       | 2201         | 42       | Independent claims in excess of 3                          |
| 1203         | 280      | 2203         | 140      | Multiple dependent claim, if not paid                      |
| 1204         | 84       | 2204         | 42       | ** Reissue independent claims over original patent         |
| 1205         | 18       | 2205         | 9        | ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent |

SUBTOTAL (2) (\$) 0

\*\*or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above

## 3. ADDITIONAL FEES

### Large Entity Small Entity

| Fee Code | Fee (\$) | Fee Code | Fee (\$) | Fee Description  | Fee Paid |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|--|----------|
| 1051     | 130      | 2051     | 65       | Surcharge - late filing fee or oath  |          |
| 1052     | 50       | 2052     | 25       | Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet                     |          |
| 1053     | 130      | 1053     | 130      | Non-English specification  |          |
| 1812     | 2,520    | 1812     | 2,520    | For filing request for ex parte reexamination                              |          |
| 1804     | 920*     | 1804     | 920*     | Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action                     |          |
| 1805     | 1,840*   | 1805     | 1,840*   | Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action                        |          |
| 1251     | 110      | 2251     | 55       | Extension for reply within first month                                     | 110      |
| 1252     | 410      | 2252     | 205      | Extension for reply within second month                                    |          |
| 1253     | 930      | 2253     | 465      | Extension for reply within third month                                     |          |
| 1254     | 1,450    | 2254     | 725      | Extension for reply within fourth month                                    |          |
| 1255     | 1,970    | 2255     | 985      | Extension for reply within fifth month                                     |          |
| 1401     | 320      | 2401     | 160      | Notice of Appeal   |          |
| 1402     | 320      | 2402     | 160      | Filing a brief in support of an appeal                                     |          |
| 1403     | 280      | 2403     | 140      | Request for oral hearing   |          |
| 1451     | 1,510    | 1451     | 1,510    | Petition to institute a public use proceeding                              |          |
| 1452     | 110      | 2452     | 55       | Petition to revive - unavoidable   |          |
| 1453     | 1,300    | 2453     | 650      | Petition to revive - unintentional   |          |
| 1501     | 1,300    | 2501     | 650      | Utility issue fee (or reissue)   |          |
| 1502     | 470      | 2502     | 235      | Design issue fee   |          |
| 1503     | 630      | 2503     | 315      | Plant issue fee  |          |
| 1460     | 130      | 1460     | 130      | Petitions to the Commissioner  | 130      |
| 1807     | 50       | 1807     | 50       | Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17 (i)                                       |          |
| 1806     | 180      | 1806     | 180      | Submission of Information Disclosure Sheet                                 |          |
| 8021     | 40       | 8021     | 40       | Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties) |          |
| 1809     | 750      | 2809     | 375      | Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))              |          |
| 1810     | 750      | 2810     | 375      | For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))           |          |
| 1801     | 750      | 2801     | 375      | Request for Continued Examination (RCE)                                    |          |
| 1802     | 900      | 1802     | 900      | Request for expedited examination of a design application                  |          |

Other fee (specify)

\*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid

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## SUBMITTED BY

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U.S. PTO FEES ENCLOSED:

\_\_\_\_\_ Transmittal Letter for U.S. National Stage Entry  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Provisional Application Cover Sheet  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Provisional Application (\_\_\_\_ pages of spec)  
 XX Color Photographs (Figs. 3 & 5)  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Inventor Declaration/Power of Attorney  
 \_\_\_\_\_ National Stage Application  
 \_\_\_\_\_ International Application published  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Response to Notice to File Missing Parts  
 \_\_\_\_\_ International Preliminary Examination Report/English  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Language  
 \_\_\_\_\_ International Search Report - English Language  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Division Application under 37 CFR 1.53(b)  
 (in duplicate with a copy of the specification, claims,  
 drawings & Inventor Declaration)  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Priority Document - Cert. Copy of \_\_\_\_\_  
 Appln.# \_\_\_\_\_, Dated: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Assignment w/cover sheet  
 XX References (18) (19)  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Response To Restriction Requirement  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Preliminary Amendment  
 XX Reply to a Final Office Action  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Response to Notice to File Missing Parts  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Request for Extension of Time  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Notice of Appeal  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Appeal Brief (in triplicate)  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Reply Brief (in triplicate)  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Request for Approval of Drawing Changes  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Petition For Acceptance of Color Photographs  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Abandoned Unintentionally Under 37 CFR 1.137(b)  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Issue Fee Transmittal  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Request for Continued Examination (RCE)  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Added Inventor's Statement Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Certificate of Correction (in duplicate) USPTO/SB/44  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Request for Corrected Filing Receipt  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Change of Correspondence Address  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Company to Company Assignment  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Substitute Specification  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Request for Withdrawal of Demand  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Status Inquiry

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\_\_\_\_\_ Filing Fee  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Surcharge Fee  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Additional Claim Fee  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Independent Claim Fee  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Recordation/Indexing Fee  
 \_\_\_\_\_ IDS Fee  
 \$110.00 Extension Fee  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Notice of Appeal Fee  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Brief on Appeal Fee  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Request for Continued Examination Fee  
 \$130.00 Petition For Acceptance of Color Photographs  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Issue Fee Transmittal  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Certificate of Correction Fee  
 \_\_\_\_\_ TM Statement of Use  
 \_\_\_\_\_ PCT Demand/Chapter II  
 \_\_\_\_\_ §§ 8 and 15 Affidavit  
 \_\_\_\_\_ TM Renewal Application Fee  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Notice of Opposition Fee

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